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THE HERALD'S SPORTING PAGE

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IT'S RIGHTU BOYS BEGIN
EARLY TRAININGAthletes on the Hill Expect to
Do Fast Work on Track
and Field.

When school work is resumed at the university tomorrow there will be a general activity in athletic lines. Training for the spring track season will commence. A large number of men have signed their intention of getting out for the team this year and a large crowd is expected out for the preliminary training. Coach Maddock and Captain Dave Pitt have a number of preliminary events planned before the opening of the regular track season.

While the football season is over as far as the "varsity" team is concerned, the interclass series have entered into the competition for the silver trophy cup. Practices will begin tomorrow for all of the teams. The sophomores had a fine out before vacation, but tomorrow night will be the first practice for the other classes. The series will consist of two games. The first will be between the freshmen and the sophomores, the second between the two upper classes, and the winners of these two contests will meet on Washington's birthday to decide the championship.

The cross-country club will get out regularly, starting with this week, and every afternoon a large-sized squad will be seen going out over the seven-mile course. The department is larger this year than it has ever been before and there are some extremely good men among the runners. The regular cross-country meets will be held soon for the interclass and school cross-country championships.

An effort is being made to form a basketball league at the university, which will most likely meet with success. Several teams have been organized and there is plenty of good material for others. It is probable that there will be an interclass series in this sport. Handball is meeting with great popularity and during this month the contests for the school championship will be held.

Physical Director Maddock has been organizing gymnasium classes since the close of the football season and the gymnasium work will begin in earnest Monday. The freshmen boys' gym class is the largest that has come out of the school and there are some exceedingly capable athletes in it. Another class that is doing good work is the faculty class. Twice a week these learned men sacrifice the scholastic duties for physical training.

RAIN AND MUD AT ASCOT

Favorites Away to the Bad and Second Choices Take the Money.

Los Angeles, Jan. 5.—The track at Ascot was muddy today and the races were not in evidence and a second choice was the only one to pull in a single choice.

First race, six furlongs.—Stoessel, 107, 8 to 1; won; Magazine, 105, 8 to 1; second; Betsey, 105, 8 to 1; third. Time, 1:17. Seaside Christian, Dan Collins, Sheriff Bell, Susan and Mortlake also ran.

Second race, three furlongs.—Magazine, 110, Bullman, 4 to 1; won; Creston, 107, Koerner, 15 to 1; second; Bonny, 107, Booker, 30 to 1; third. Time, 3:24. Batic, Rains, Decorator, Gladys, C. El Muchocha, Ed Davis, Connie M. Bonni, Balra, Booger Red and Reimondo also ran.

Third race, six furlongs.—Platoon, 109, Lawrence, 10 to 1; won; Don Domo, 106, Koerner, 4 to 1; second; Slickaway, 112, G. Miller, 4 to 1; third. Time, 1:36. Bonnie Reg, Harding, Durum and Two Hills also ran.

Fourth race, Hollywood handicap, \$150 added, one mile.—Dusty Miller, 108, Riley, 6 to 1; won; W. H. Carey, 109, Harris, 10 to 1; second; Armo, 107, Boland, 5 to 1; third. Time, 1:45. Molesey, Calio, Norfolk, Supreme, Count, Chantilly, Yon-Tromp and Lord of the Heath also ran.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth.—Elizabeth, 103, Cross, 2 to 1; won; Johnston, 108, McDaniel, 7 to 1; second; Clandestine, 106, Fisher, 16 to 1; third. Time, 1:52. Cullion, Hippocampus, Pinstrip, Fomcasta and Told You So also ran.

Sixth race, six furlongs.—Eleanor, 107, Riley, 9 to 2; won; Phil Igoe, 104, Koerner, 5 to 1; second; Avis, 107, Harris, 7 to 1; third. Time, 1:37. Pimkin, Falstaff, Round Dance, Elsa A., Wire Cup and Long Nick also ran.

M'GARRY'S GREAT RECORD

New York Lightweight Heads List of
Winning Pugs for
Year.

New York, Jan. 4.—Amby McGarry, the local lightweight fighter, carries off the honors for engaging in the greatest number of flint battles for 1906. Amby participated in thirty-one bouts altogether, including the three and six-round contests which were held in this city, at which no decisions were given, the same as in Philadelphia.

McGarry took part in twenty-four of these bouts and made decisions being given there is no doubt that he would have been awarded many a verdict, as he did certainly outpoint a large number of his opponents enough to have received a decision.

Matty Baldwin, the New England fighter, made the best showing of any of the pugilists. He won twelve battles by a decision, fought two bouts in which no decision was rendered and also three draws, out of seventeen contests.

HOLDS BICYCLE SHOW.

London Still Clings to Annual Exhibit of Wheels.

London, Jan. 5.—It is hard to stop things in Great Britain, once they have been given a good start. There is a steady show of bicycles, motor cycles and parts, for instance, which has been held every winter at the Agricultural hall in London for the past twenty-eight years. As in the two years two shows were held, the one which has just ended was the thirtieth exhibition.

Comments on the show indicate that apart from the annual crop of freaks which are never taken seriously, the standardization of the bicycle and its parts is now so thorough that there was very little new shown that really may be called essential. This is squarely in line with American practice; the manufacture of the very best wheel possible upon the lines that have been proved their right to survive.

F. Auerbach & Bro's. Cut-Price Clearing Sale starts tomorrow morning. Read page 16, Magazine Section.

Large shipment of door mats just arrived. Z. C. M. I. carpet department.

MICHIGAN MAY
QUIT BIGElection of Magoffin Indicates
Wolverines Will Retire If New
Rules Are Not Ratified.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 5.—Although little change has marked the past week as far as the athletic situation at Michigan is concerned, several steps have been taken that are significant. Probably the most important is the election of Magoffin as captain of the football eleven for next year. Not that the election of a leader is so important as to make probable any marked changes in the athletic policy, but the election of Magoffin, coming as it does, right after the refusal of Wisconsin to ratify the resolutions made by the conference at its recent meeting, points out Michigan's course more clearly than any of her previous threats have been able to do.

Magoffin has completed three years, and if the three-year rule were allowed to affect the men who were in school at the time it was passed, the captain-elect would be ineligible for further intercollegiate competition. Consequently, his election means one of two things; either Michigan is reasonably certain that Wisconsin cannot find enough sympathizers to succeed in voting down the modifications made by the conference, or she is deliberately planning to break away from the conference.

Revolutionists Quiet Down.

After the conference meeting three weeks ago, at which part of the reform measures of last winter were greatly modified, the agitation which had for the withdrawal of Michigan from the Big Nine quieted down, and even the most radical of the revolutionists were satisfied to accept the compromise offered. Wisconsin then came back with the announcement that her faculty had refused to ratify the changes, and that she was supported by at least two of the other conference colleges. Inasmuch as a two-thirds vote is necessary to make such action binding, Wisconsin can vote her, and other colleges to vote with her, and the good work accomplished at the Chicago meeting. As the situation now stands, Michigan is not in a very good position to well gracefully to a return to the "reform" order of things, as two of her athletic captains, Garrels, in track and Magoffin in football, would be barred from further competition.

SEVEN FAST ONES START

Proper, Carrying Top Weight, Easily
Captures Follansbee
Handicap.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—The Follansbee handicap was the event of the day at Serrano and seven crack races started for the \$2,000 purse over a seven furlong course. Proper, with a top weight of 132 pounds, was quoted at 4 to 1. He acted badly at the post, causing a long delay, but finally a good start was made. Joe Coyne was cleverly disposed of. Tony Faust was outrun and the race then was easily won by Proper.

First race, five and a half furlongs.—Dr. Sherman, 107, Sandy, 29 to 1; won; Belmont, 105, Williams, 9 to 2; second; Jake Ward, 102, E. Dugan, 7 to 1; third. Time, 1:11. The Proboscis, Procrastinate, Roscoe, Soundly, Mingo, Sea Lad, Sid Silver and also ran.

Second race, three furlongs.—Firestone, 116, W. Miller, 1 to 4; won; Bravoor, 109, McIntyre, 10 to 1; second; Governor, 112, Horner, 15 to 1; third. Time, 3:28. Scott, Love of Gold, Sand Piper, Tea Bath, Jeremiah, Bonita, Willie Gift and Charlotte 13 also ran.

Third race, one mile.—Lucian, 106, Grahn, 5 to 2; won; Cheripe, 107, W. Miller, 9 to 5; second; Cleo, 104, Dora, 11 to 1; third. Time, 1:44. Dora, 11 to 1; fourth. Pay Mo and Nebanassar also ran.

Fourth race, six furlongs.—Follansbee handicap, purse \$2,000.—Proper, 132, Brown, 5 to 1; won; Joe Coyne, 106, Hunter, 6 to 1; second; Tony Faust, 119, W. Miller, 8 to 1; third. Time, 1:52. Governor, Davis, Miss Officialis, Lisara, Sir Edward, Sir Russell, Clydeo, Wolma and Toolool also ran.

Fifth race, mile.—Northwest, 101, W. Miller, 7 to 10; won; Bolman, 110, Fountain, 10 to 1; second; Ban Pual, 106, Sullivan, 4 to 1; third. Time, 1:45. Governor, Davis, Magrane and Mediator also ran.

Sixth race, five and a half furlongs.—Clandestine, 106, Horner, 10 to 1; won; Mansard, 109, W. Miller, 6 to 5; second; Native Son, 14, Kirsbaum, 8 to 5; third. Time, 1:36. Sir Edith, Marion, Rose, Yeoman and Hugh McGowan also ran.

GROW IN ALFALFA PATCH

Billy Earle Says Country Jays and
Farmer Boys Make Ball
Players.

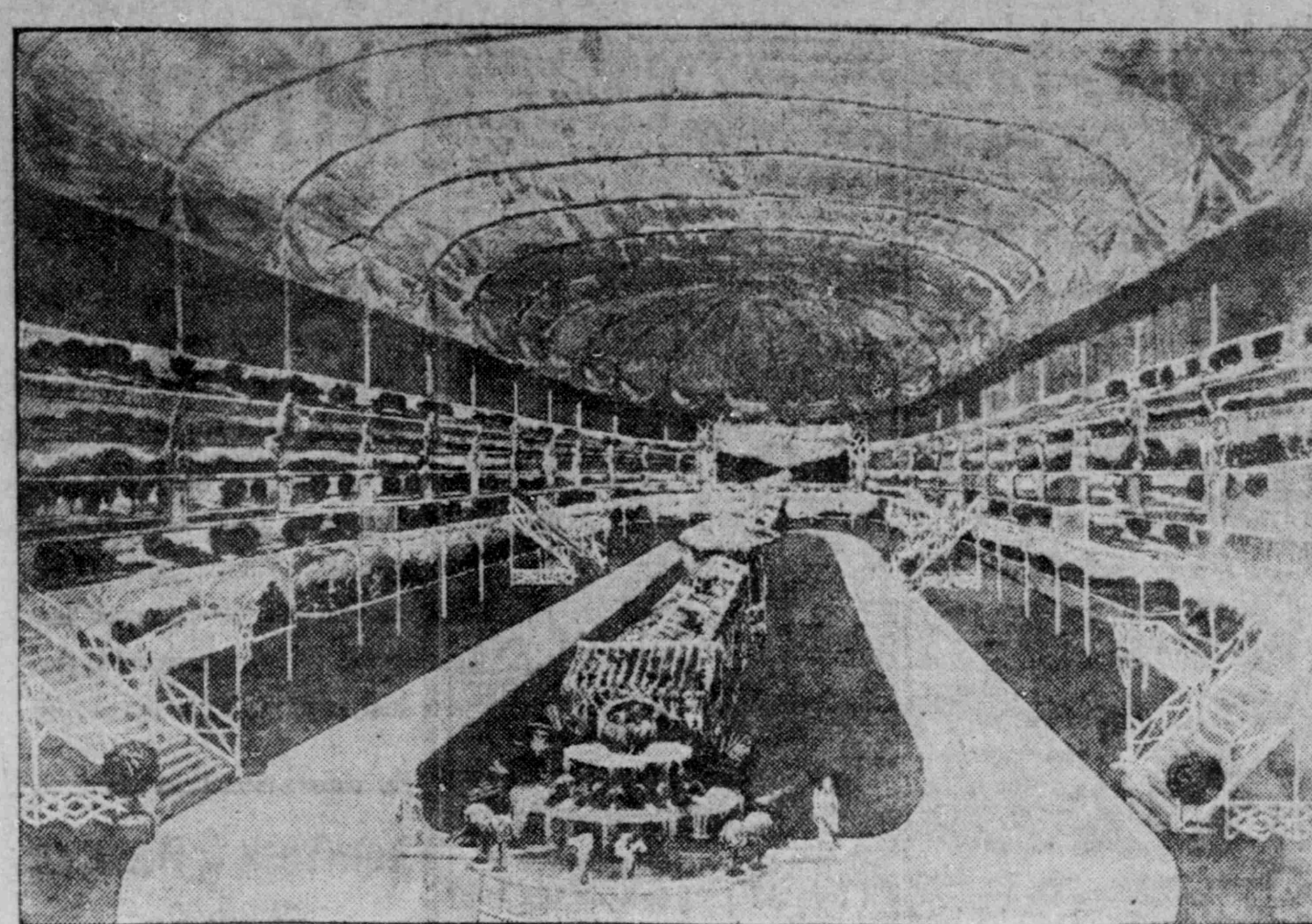
Pittsburg, Jan. 5.—"Give me young players from the farms and country towns," says Billy Earle, who has the Scottsdale franchise in the new Western Pennsylvania league. "My experience has been that the boys from the rural districts who have natural baseball talent are to be preferred to those from the large cities. Take a young player from a National league city and he will refuse point blank to be guided by advice handed out by his manager. He will tell you he has seen the big clubs play and knows all about it. You can't beat anything into his head, and the result is that at the end of the season he is no farther advanced in his profession than he was in the spring. With the player from the country it is quite different. He is willing to learn; doesn't think he knows it all, and if he has any natural talent he will soon develop the same and rise in his profession. I do not mean to say that good ball players are not picked up on the lots in big cities but, for my part, as manager of a minor league team, I prefer the lads from the little towns and the cornfields."

Who will say that the little globe-trotter is not about right in the view he takes of this subject?

SOCIETY MAN HURT.

St. Louis Jan. 5.—Clarkson Potter, society man and former Yale athlete, connected with a prominent brokerage firm, is in St. Luke's hospital in a critical condition from an injury received New Year's day at the Country club in a game of football.

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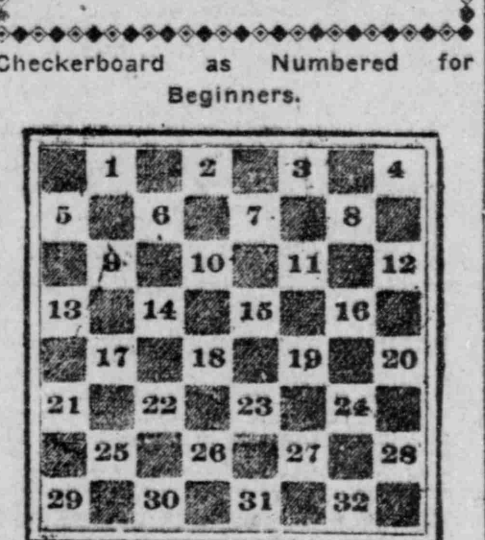


New York Automobile Show Decorations.

"Pompeii restored," is the characterization given by one of the exhibitors to the appearance of the interior of Madison Square garden as it will look when the amphitheatre will be converted there will be statues of allegorical design and heroic size. On each side, placed so as to conceal the pillars, will be eight figures. One will be the "Goddess of the Show" and the other will be a female figure typifying "Prosperity." These two will alternate along the sides, while at the end and in other places will be figures of "Triumph" and "Victory." When it is remembered that these figures on their pedestals will tower more than eight feet in height and are made as

inert, for along the sides and all about the colossal scale on which the work is being done will be gained. The statuary is now about completed and the work of installation will begin on Jan. 6. The statues will be carried into the garden completed, but the great fountain, eighteen feet in height and twenty feet across the base, will be carried to its site in two sections and put together in the garden. Similarly, the rustic work will be pieced together within the amphitheatre, as there was not room in the building where it was constructed to put the roof on the arbor.

CHECKERS

Checkerboard as Numbered for
Beginners.

Place black men on squares 1 to 13. Place white men on squares 21 to 32. Blacks always move first at the commencement of a checker game.

Following is the completed score of Alvin B. Smith in Herald tournament:

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 261—Double Corner. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 262—Black Doctor. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 263—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Chambers moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Chambers moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 264—Switcher. Same players as above. Mr. Smith moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 265—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 266—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 267—Single Corner. W. Burdette, Vancouver, Wash., vs. J. B. Smith, Salt Lake, Mr. Burdette moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Burdette moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 268—Second Double Corner. J. B. Smith, Salt Lake, vs. L. J. Granger, Healdsburg, Cal., white.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 269—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 270—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 271—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

Game	No.	Double Corner.	Same players as above.	Mr. Granger moved first.
1-17	22-27	28-9	22-18	28-19
9-12	11-15	5-14	1-6	2-6
25-21	18-11	29-25	18-9	17-13
6-9	1-16	8-22	7-11	1-13
23-18	22-18	26-22	21-17	21-17
8-11	12-22	8-11	11-15	11-15
27-23	30-17	29-26	24-19	17-14

Game No. 272—Bristol. Same players as above. Mr. Granger moved first.

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